

1 JOSEPH P. RUSSONIELLO  
2 United States Attorney  
3 THOMAS MOORE (ASBN 4305-O78T)  
Assistant United States Attorney  
4 Chief, Tax Division  
9th Floor Federal Building  
450 Golden Gate Avenue, Box 36055  
San Francisco, California 94102  
5 Telephone: (415) 436-6935  
HUONG T. BAILIE (NYBN 4035739)  
6 300 E. 8th Street, Suite 601  
Austin, TX 78701  
7 Telephone: (512) 499-5759  
NATHAN E. CLUKEY (VABN 41347)  
8 ELLEN K. WEIS (VABN 77454)  
Trial Attorney, Tax Division  
9 U.S. Department of Justice  
Post Office Box 7238  
10 Ben Franklin Station  
Washington, D.C. 20044  
11 Telephone: (202) 202 616-9067  
Facsimile: (202) 514-6770  
12 Email: nathan.e.clukey@usdoj.gov

13  
14 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
15 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

16 UNITED STATES )  
17 v. Plaintiff, )  
18 )  
19 CHARLES CATHCART *et al.* ) Civil No. 03:07-cv-4762-PJH-JCS  
20 )  
21 Defendants. ) LETTER REQUESTING PERMISSION  
22 ) TO APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY  
23 ) AT HEARING OF JUNE 12, 2009  
24 )  
25 )  
26 )  
27 )  
28 )  
Discovery Matter )

Counsel for the United States respectfully requests permission to appear telephonically at the hearing scheduled for June 12, 2009, regarding Defendant Charles Hsin's Motion for a Protective Order (Doc. # 192).

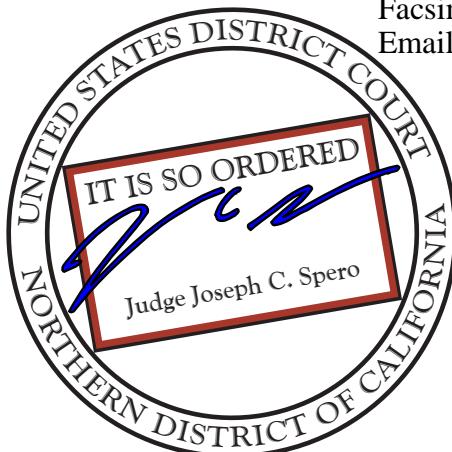
If granted, counsel for the United States, Nathan E. Clukey, may be contacted at the

1 following telephone number: (202) 616-9067.  
2  
3 DATED: June 8, 2009.

4 Respectfully submitted,  
5  
6 JOSEPH P. RUSSONIELLO  
7 United States Attorney  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26  
27  
28

/S/ Nathan E. Clukey  
NATHAN E. CLUKEY  
ELLEN K. WEIS  
Trial Attorney, Tax Division  
U.S. Department of Justice  
Post Office Box 7238  
Ben Franklin Station  
Washington, D.C. 20044  
Telephone: (202) 616-9067  
Facsimile: (202) 514-6770  
Email: Nathan.E.Clukey@usdoj.gov

Dated: June 8, 2009



1  
2                   **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**  
3

4                   IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that service of the United States' Letter Request has been  
5 made, this 8th day of June, 2009, by filing the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the  
6 CM/ECF System, which will send notification of such filing to the following:  
7

8                   Farley J. Neuman ([fneuman@jgn.com](mailto:fneuman@jgn.com))  
9                   Tom Prountzos ([tprountzos@jgn.com](mailto:tprountzos@jgn.com))  
10                  Jenkins Goodman Neuman & Hamilton LLP  
11                  417 Montgomery Street, 10th Floor  
12                  San Francisco, CA 94104  
13                  *Attorneys for Robert Nagy*

14                  Edward O.C. Ord ([ordeoc@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ordeoc@sbcglobal.net))  
15                  Ord & Norman  
16                  233 Sansome Street, Suite 1111  
17                  San Francisco, CA 94104  
18                  *Attorney for Charles Hsin, Optech Limited, and Franklin Thomason*

19                  I further certify that on June 8, 2009, service of the foregoing was made upon the  
20 following by email:

21                  Yuri Debeyc (*pro se*)  
22                  1483 Burningtree Road  
23                  Charleston, SC 29412  
24                  ydebevc@attglobal.net

25                  Charles Cathcart (*pro se*)  
26                  P.O. Box 754,  
27                  Tuxedo Park, NY 10987  
28                  cathcartc@yahoo.com

29                  /s/ Nathan E. Clukey  
30                  NATHAN E. CLUKEY